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DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

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AFTER CIRCULATING TEXT OF DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES CONTAINED
SEPTTEL, UK CHARGE THOMSON ADVISED US ON INSTRUCTIONS THAT LONDON
CONSIDERED THAT THE PROPOSED BRITISH DECLARATION ON DEFENSE
MATTERS SHOULD BE KEPT APART FROM ANY DECLARATION ON US-COMMUNITY
RELATIONS AND BE DEALT WITH IN THE ALLIANCE ACCORDING TO THE
"NATURAL TIMETABLE" OF THE ALLIANCE. THIS SHOULD BE UNDERSTOOD,
THOMSON STATED, TO MEAN THAT THE BRITISH SAW NO NEED TO
GEAR DISCUSSIONS WITHIN THE ALLIANCE TO THE TIMETABLE OF THE
SEPARATE DISCUSSIONS ON A DECLARATION PROCEEDING WITHIN THE NINE.
THOMSON STATED THAT HE HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO MAKE THESE SAME
POINTS TO ASYG KASTL. HE FURTHER STATED THAT TO THE BEST OF HIS
KNOWLEDGE THE DRAFT DECLARATION CIRCULATED BY THE BRITISH WAS A
UK PROPOSAL AND THAT THE UK WAS IN NO SENSE ACTING FOR THE
COMMUNITY IN PROPOSING THIS TEXT.

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